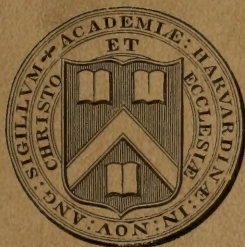


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PREFACE

ONCE more the Class Secretary presents a report of the Class of Fifty-Seven. Departing somewhat from the methods of former reports, made in the years 1866, 1882, and 1893, he has tried to give, in succinct form, certain life-facts in our personal records, which it may be well to recall and make permanent; it is natural also that the events of life which have occurred to us since 1893 should prove interesting; moreover, the constant inquiries made of the Secretary regarding the children and grandchildren of the Class and what places they have filled and are likely to fill in the world deserve careful answer. It has been the endeavor of the Secretary in these pages to meet the requests which different members of the Class have made.

In 1866 the Class Secretary said: "Are we not justified in looking for an honorable position in the world for the Class of Fifty-Seven?" In 1907 Long said at the Commencement exercises: "I should be happy to speak for my Classmates if I knew where they were. . . . I cannot find them. I am sure, however, that they are all here — a few with their shields, though the rest are on them — all here or accounted for, ready, while their Alma Mater calls the roll, to lay their

record in her lap, hoping to receive on their heads the pat of her benignant hand. They have done the best they could."

Have they filled well the places assigned them? Let the world say.

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* JOHN JULIUS PRINGLE ALSTON

Born: Charleston, S. C., December 6, 1836.

Died: Greenville, S. C., September 20, 1863. He was buried at St. Michael's Church, Charleston, S. C., where a stone marks his grave.

Parents: Charles, and (Pringle) Alston; she was daughter of John Julius Pringle, a distinguished lawyer of Charleston.

School: Christopher Cotes, Charleston, S. C.

Degree: A.B.

Unmarried.

(See Class Secretary's Reports, 1866, 1882.)

GRENVILLE BACON

Born: Roxbury, Mass., October 22, 1835.

Address: Winthrop Place, Roxbury, Mass.

Parents: William and Elizabeth (Wyman) Bacon.

Schools: Roxbury Latin School and Prentiss Allen.

Degree: A. B.

Married: February 22, 1858, Sarah Maria, daughter of John Dove of Roxbury, Mass.; she died August 8, 1909.

Children:

Grenville (the Class Cradle Boy), January 13, 1859;
married (first), Marie Kelton Foster of New Bedford,

Mass.; (second) Mrs. Diana Newport, of New York, N. Y. He lives in New York.

Charles Herbert, December 20, 1862; died January 2, 1868.

Alice Hayward, October 14, 1869; married Charles Loring Hastings of New York; she died October 31, 1903.

* GEORGE MIDDLETON BARNARD

Born: Brookline, Mass., October 21, 1835.

Died: Mattapoisett, Mass., December 1, 1898.

Parents: George Middleton and Susan Livingston (Tilden) Barnard.

School: Public Latin School, Boston, Mass.

Degree: A.B. (1872).

Married: December 28, 1865, Ellen, daughter of James Dutton Russell of Boston, Mass. She died at Naples, Italy, February 18, 1903.

Children:

Sarah Livingston, November 19, 1866; lives at Mattapoisett, Mass.

Maud Russell, October 10, 1868; married Henry Durant Cheever (1888) of New York, N. Y., October 1, 1890; she died at Paris, France, August 5, 1903.

FRANCIS BARTLETT

Born: Boston, Mass., September 21, 1836.

Address: 40 State Street, Boston, Mass. Residence, winter, 236 Beacon Street, Boston, Mass., and in summer at Pride's Crossing, Beverly, Mass.

Parents: Sidney (1818) and Caroline Louisa (Pratt) Bartlett.

School: D. B. Tower, Boston, Mass.

Degrees: A.B., A.M.

Married: March 31, 1869, Marianna Hubbard, daughter of John F. Slater of Norwich, Conn. She died January 6, 1873.

Child: Caroline, September 3, 1870; married, June 2, 1891, Herbert Mason Sears (1889); she died, New York, N. Y., January 17, 1908, leaving two children, Elizabeth, March 2, 1892, and Phyllis, March 4, 1895.

In recent years he has served as one of the Managers of the Museum of Fine Arts, in which he is greatly interested.

* STANTON BLAKE

Born: Boston, Mass., May 8, 1837.

Died: Boston, Mass., April 21, 1889.

Parents: George Baty and Anna Hull (Blake) Blake.

Schools: At Vevay, Switzerland, and R. H. Chase, Boston.

Degree: A.B.

Unmarried.

(See Class Secretary's Reports, 1882, 1893, and *Boston Daily Globe*, April 22, 1889.)

SHEPHERD BROOKS

Born: Baltimore, Md., July 23, 1837.

Address: Winter, 92 Beacon Street, Boston, Mass., and in summer, West Medford, Mass.

Parents: Gorham and Ellen (Shepherd) Brooks.

School: Samuel Eliot (1839).

Degrees: A.B., A.M.

Married: Boston, December 10, 1872, Clara, daughter of George Gardner of Boston.

Children:

Helen, December 30, 1875; married, February 5, 1896, Robert Wales Emmons (1895); and had Robert Wales, 3d, July 11, 1897; Gardner, October 9, 1905. Gorham, June 19, 1881 (1905).

Rachel, January 5, 1883, married, June 27, 1904, James Jackson (1904) and had James, Jr., April 25, 1905, Helen, August 25, 1906, and Rachel, October 4, 1908.

By the invitation of Brooks to all the Class, eight members called on him at his home in West Medford, Mass., June 26, 1907.

FRANCIS HENRY BROWN

Born: Boston, Mass., August 8, 1835.

Address: Hotel Buckminster and 28 State Street, Boston, Mass.

Parents: Francis and Caroline Matilda (Kuhn) Brown.

School: Public Latin School, Boston.

Degrees: A.B., A.M., M.D.

Married: (first) September 24, 1861, Louisa Beckford, daughter of Charles F. Eaton of Salem, Mass.; she died January 17, 1865; (second) March 23, 1871, Mary Sherwood, daughter of Charles P. Wood of Auburn, N. Y.

Children:

Louis Francis, December 16, 1864; married (first) Jennie Brigham Boyd of Boston; and had Roger, July 1889, died September 14, 1889; and Louise, June 24, 1895; (second) Edith Gould of Chicago, Ill. Edith, September 7, 1877, married Turner Hodgdon of Boston and had Robert Turner, April 12,

1901; Mary Sherwood, May 26, 1903, died April 9, 1904; Francis Brown, December 28, 1904; Richard Phelps, June 27, 1909.

In addition to positions given in previous reports he has been President of the Suffolk District of the Massachusetts Medical Society, President of the Massachusetts Society, Sons of the American Revolution, member Appalachian Club and St. Botolph Club, Trustee of the Franklin Savings Bank.

*** WILLIAM REED BULLARD**

Born: Boston, Mass., September 7, 1837.

Died: Helena, Mont., February 17, 1890.

Parents: Rev. Asa (Amherst, 1828) and Lucretia Gunn (Dickinson) Bullard.

Degrees: A.B., M.D.

Married: Helena, Mont., July 21, 1872, Mary N. Gilman of Watertown, Wis.

Children:

Clara Gertrude and John Gilman (twins), December 11, 1873.

His widow and children remain at Helena, Mont.

(See Class Secretary's Report, 1893.)

JOSEPH HORACE CLARK

Born: New York, N. Y., January 8, 1837.

Address: Hotel Vendome, Boston, Mass.

Parents: Humphrey and Almira (Jenckes) Clark.

Schools: W. P. Atkinson (1838) and T. G. Bradford (1822).

Degrees: A.B., A.M., LL.B.

Unmarried.

* JOHN HOLMES CONVERSE

Born: Frederick City, Md., October 3, 1837.

Died: Gwynedd, Penn., May 5, 1904.

Parents: Freeman (Dart. 1830) and Emily (Miller) Converse.

Schools: Baltimore, Md. Entered the Class September, 1854.

Degrees: A.B., A.M., S.T.B. Berkeley, 1868.

Married: October 20, 1868, Jane B., daughter of Dr. William Jones of Natchez, Miss.

Children:

Agnes Howard, October 12, 1871; married, December 27, 1902, Rev. Allen R. Van Meter (he had a parish in Hankow, China, for some years and then returned to America).

Arthur Freeman, May 31, 1873, died August 4, 1874.

Eliza Baker, August 4, 1874.

Son born and died February 17, 1876.

John Holmes, Jr., July 26, 1878; now with Norfolk & Western R. R. at Roanoke, Va.

Converse became Rector of the Church of the Messiah at Gwynedd, Penn.; and remained in this service till the time of his death. *The Living Church* of June 6, 1904, has notice of Converse, a part of which is here copied:

“Previous to entering upon his preparation for holy orders he had studied law and had been admitted to the bar.

“For ten years, from 1871 to 1881, he was professor of Latin and Greek at Racine College, where he was closely associated with the late Dr. James DeKoven in relations of peculiar sympathy and friendship. After Dr. DeKoven’s death Professor Converse was at once thought of as well fitted for the vacant Wardenship of Racine, but he positively declined to allow his name to be considered and shortly resigned his professorship and became rector of Trinity Church, Bristol, R. I., at the

same time conducting a small preparatory school for boys. Later, he continued his work of instruction at New Hamburg, N. Y., and Cold Spring, N. Y. As he grew older he decided to give up his teaching, but became rector of Christ Church, Riverton, N. J., and, finally, of the Church of the Messiah at Gwynedd. Between these rectorships he spent one year abroad, officiating for a time at the American Church at Lucerne, Switzerland.

“As a professor and teacher Mr. Converse made a deep mark in the lives of his pupils, all of whom loved and respected him for his lofty character and conspicuous ability. He was a classical scholar of the good old-fashioned sort, accurate and elegant, inspiring, positive. One of his pupils once said that it was a liberal education to hear him read Horace in the Latin.

“Many men now in business and in the professions, men who sat in his classes, will mourn, with friends and parishioners, the loss of this graceful scholar, this faithful priest, this Christian gentleman. May light eternal shine upon him!”

At the Commencement dinner in 1900 he contributed a poem, which is here given :

Nineteen hundred come at last!
Joys and sorrows overpast;
Greet we still with heart and hand
Fifty-seven's lessening band.

Greet we too in mem'ries sweet,
Who with us were wont to meet;
They may beckon — who can say? —
From the shore not far away.

They have passed — yet left behind
Words and deeds of gold refined;
Ours the lot their pace to keep,
As we follow up the steep.

Write we then the pledge to-night
 On our shields of honor bright;
 Ne'er to sully, ne'er betray
 Bonds of friendship made for aye.

Closer still our ranks to press,
 As the doughty band grows less,
 Keeping fresh in mem'ry's lore
 Every scene we've travelled o'er.

Keeping watch through weal and woe
 For each comrade here below;
 That no evil thing betide
 Aught of Alma Mater's pride.

Mrs. Converse left Gwynedd in the fall of 1904. She is now living at Torresdale, Penn.

* EDWARD THOMAS DAMON

Born: Wayland, Mass., April 19, 1835.

Died: Cambridge, Mass., November 30, 1859.

Parents: Thomas Jefferson and Rachel (Thomas) Damon.

Degree: A.B.

(See Class Secretary's Reports, 1866, 1882.)

JOHN LANGDON DEARBORN

Born: Exeter, N. H., December 24, 1835.

Address: 411 Marlborough Street, Boston, Mass.

Parents: Stephen William and Eliza (King) Dearborn.

Degree: A.B.

Married: November 13, 1862, Sarah Abbott Smith of Exeter, N. H. She died, Gloucester, Mass., October 8, 1906.

Children:

Samuel Stephen, October 15, 1863, mechanical engineer at Boston.

Elizabeth King, April 4, 1865.

William Langdon, February 1, 1867; member of Eastwick Engineering Company, New York, N. Y.; he married Ellen Eustis of New Orleans, La., and has Langdon, born in City of Mexico, September 25, 1906.

John, March 27, 1868; Vice-President of Warren Brothers Company, at Boston, Mass.

George Knight, October 9, 1872; now living in Boston.

* HENRY LONGER DESAULLES

Born: New Orleans, La., July 22, 1838.

Died: Port Hudson, La., June 4, 1863.

Parents: Louis and Amédée (Longer) DeSaulles.

School: R. H. Chase. Entered Class in 1854.

Degree: A.B.

(See Class Secretary's Report, 1866.)

SAMUEL DORR

Born: New York, N. Y., June 11, 1836.

Address: 1213 Second Street, Louisville, Ky.

Parents: Samuel Fox and Elizabeth Chipman (Hazen) Dorr.

Degree: A.B.

Married: (first) May 17, 1873, Jane, daughter of John McEllroy of Allentown, Penn; she died, July 24, 1887; (second) June 13, 1888, Travilla Meriwether.

Children:

Susan Elizabeth, April 11, 1889; married, January 26, 1910, Jamieson Glass McPherson.

William Meriwether, July 11, 1896.

Dorr was one of the founders of the Harvard Club of Louisville, Ky. He is not in business.

*** HOWARD DWIGHT**

Born: Springfield, Mass., October 29, 1837.

Died: Bayou Boeuf, La., May 4, 1863.

Parents: William and Elizabeth Amelia (White) Dwight.

Degrees: A.B., A.M.

Unmarried.

In 1887 a crayon portrait of Dwight by Rowse was placed in Memorial Hall. His memoir occurs in "Harvard Memorial Biographies," Vol. I.

(See Class Secretary's Reports, 1866, 1882.)

*** EZRA DYER**

Born: Boston, October 17, 1836.

Died: At sea near Charleston, S. C., February 9, 1887.

Parents: Ezra C. and Caroline E. (Tiffany) Dyer.

Degrees: A.B., A.M., M.D.

Married: September 9, 1863, Lucy Murrill, daughter of James C. Kempton of Philadelphia, Penn.

Child:

Ezra Francis, July 20, 1864.

Mrs. Dyer lives with her son at 73 Washington Street, Newport, R. I.

(See Class Secretary's Report, 1893.)

WILLIAM HENRY ELLIOTT

Born: Savannah, Ga., March 10, 1837.

Address: 717 Abercorn Street, Savannah, Ga.

Parents: Ralph Ems (A.B., 1818; M.D., 1824, and Coll. Phys. and Surg., N. Y., 1821) and Margaret Cowper (Mackay) Elliott.

Degrees: A.B.; M.D. (Univ., Va.), 1858; Coll. Phys. and Surg., N. Y., 1859; Savannah Med. Coll., 1872.

Married: March 27, 1862, Sidney E., daughter of Benjamin E. Stiles.

Children:

William Henry, August 10, 1863; married, November 22, 1902, Nora McGillan of Milwaukee, Wis. Is author of standard work on railroad signals, and a frequent contributor to technical journals; is now signal engineer with N. Y., N. H. & H. R. R. at New York.

Edward Stiles, November 3, 1865; married, November 8, 1902, Mary Constance Mallett of Charlottesville, Va.; is a lawyer in Savannah, Ga.

Clelia Peronneau, September 19, 1867; married Clifford Carleton of New York; had daughter, Sidney Wallace, in 1870, who died in 1872.

Wallace McQueen, March 14, 1870; died, June 7, 1872.

Phœbe Herbert, April 19, 1871; kindergartner in Savannah.

William Mackay, November 1, 1873.

Katherine Vernon, January 16, 1881; died, December 12, 1881.

Elliott was at the Commencement of 1907 (with his son, W. H., Junior) and presided at the Class dinner.

He is still engaged in the practice of medicine in Savannah, Ga.

* ARON ESTEY FISHER

Born: Boston, Mass., July 16, 1836.

Died: Roxbury, Mass., October 25, 1901.

Parents: Warren and Nancy Dicks (Simmons) Fisher.

Degrees: A.B., A.M.

He continued to live in Boston and Roxbury, Mass., an invalid most of the time, till his death.

HORACE NEWTON FISHER

Born: Boston, Mass., October 19, 1836.

Address: 256 Walnut Street, Brookline, Mass.

Parents: Francis and Lydia (Kittredge) Fisher.

School: Public Latin School, Boston, Mass.

Degrees: A.B., A.M., LL.B.

Married: November 13, 1865, Kiameche Cecilia, daughter of Dr. William Mason (M.D., 1832) of Charlestown, Mass.

Children:

Francis Mason, September 20, 1866; died, April 7, 1882.

Mary Lydia, August 1, 1868; graduate, Boston Museum of Fine Arts and student of art in Europe; married Francis Boylston Austin (1886); has William Mason, September 7, 1902, and Kiameche, March 13, 1905; lives at Jamaica Plain, Mass.

Sarah Goddard, March 16, 1870; interested in literary

and musical work; died, Brookline, Mass., April 11, 1905.

Horace Cecil, January 11, 1872; (1904, cum laude); devoting himself to wool.

During the War of 1861-65, Fisher was Lieutenant-Colonel and Inspector General, U. S. Volunteers, in the Army of the Cumberland.

Fisher has continued his home at Brookline, Mass.; is corresponding member of the National Society of Agriculture at Santiago, Chile; has written many valuable political, legal, and sociological papers, especially an extensive treatise on "The Objective at Bunker Hill," presented before the Bunker Hill Monument Association in 1907. He has given courses of lectures on "Consuls" and on the "Common Law of Spanish Service" at the Boston University Law School. He continues to serve as Chilean Consul at Boston. Was present in San Francisco, Cal., on the occasion of the earthquake and fire in April, 1906. He and his wife endured many labors, dangers, and sufferings. They escaped with their lives; but he lost the manuscript of his valuable lectures on "The Common Law of Spanish America," which he is now perfecting and re-writing from his notes and extensive collection of rare books on the subject obtained in Spain in 1905, some of which were also burned and difficult to replace. The lectures were intended to be amplified into an exhaustive treatise on the subject, to which he has devoted many years of study and several journeys in Spain and Spanish America. At Madrid he had extraordinary facilities, owing to the introduction of our State Department, and collected what the Secretary of the Academia Real de Historia was pleased to call the "most complete collection of old Spanish law ever made."

*** JOHN LAMSON FLAGG**

Born: Nashua, N. H., September 11, 1835.

Died: Troy, N. Y., May 11, 1874.

Parents: John and Abigail (Hobbs) Flagg.

Degrees: A.B., A.M.; A.M. (Hon.) Union, 1866; LL.B. Union, 1859.

Married: July 12, 1860, Ellen Hathaway Brown of Providence, R. I.; she remarried and has since died.

Child:

John, June 7, 1863; died, September 11, 1895.

(See Class Secretary's Report, 1882.)

*** GEORGE McKEAN FOLSOM**

Born: Cambridge, Mass., February 6, 1837.

Died: Boston, Mass., May 20, 1882.

Parents: Charles (1813) and Susanna Sarah (McKean) Folsom, daughter of Rev. Prof. Joseph McKean (1794).

Schools: E. B. Whitman (1838), G. M. Lane (1846), and Cambridge High School.

Degrees: A.B., A.M., Div. S., 1866.

Married: January 8, 1867, Susan Cabot Jackson, daughter of Charles Jackson of Boston.

Child:

Amy, November 16, 1867; lives in Boston.

(See Class Secretary's Report, 1882.)

*** GEORGE HENRY FORSTER**

Born: Charlestown, Mass., June 20, 1838.

Died: Riverdale-on-the-Hudson, N. Y., November 8, 1888.

Parents: Henry and Mary Taber (Swift) Forster.

School: Charlestown High School.

Degrees: A.B., A.M.

Married: October 17, 1867, Constance, daughter of Henry L. Atherton.

Children:

Henry Atherton, September 26, 1868; lawyer in New York.

Reginald Hathaway, July 21, 1870; died August 30, 1871.

Constance Edith, October 26, 1872; died, August 23, 1873.

Frederick Everard, October 26, 1874; S.B. Mass. Inst. Tech. 1896; married, Atlanta, Ga., August 25, 1906, Ethel Taylor Fisher; with Proper Company, Atlanta, Ga.

Ada Atherton, February 10, 1877; died April 19, 1882.

(See Class Secretary's Report, 1893.)

* FRANCIS ORMOND FRENCH

Born: Chester, N. H., September 12, 1837.

Died: Tuxedo Park, N. Y., February 26, 1893.

Parents: Benjamin Brown (Dart., 1825) and Elizabeth Smith (Richardson) French.

School: Phillips Exeter. Entered college, September, 1854.

Degrees: A.B., LL.B.

Married: Washington, D. C., March 5, 1861, Ellen, daughter of Amos Tuck (Dart. 1835; Member of Congress, 1847-1853).

Children:

Elizabeth Richardson, December 17, 1861; married, July 14, 1892, Colonel, the Honorable Herbert Eaton, R.A.; in 1902 he became Baron Cheylesmore; their children are Francis Ormond Henry, June 19, 1893; and Herbert Edward, June 12, 1895.

Amos Tuck, July 20, 1863 (1885); married, December 2, 1885, Pauline, daughter of Stuyvesant LeRoy of Newport, R. I. He is Vice-President of the Manhattan Trust Company, New York. In 1900 he gave a loving cup to the Harvard Club in New York, in memory of John C. Ropes. His children are Pauline LeRoy (Class Baby of 1885), married, May 5, 1908, Samuel Jones Wagstaff (1908); Francis Ormond, November 27, 1888 (Class of 1912); Julia Stell, June 6, 1893; Stuyvesant LeRoy, August 10, 1895; Edward Tuck, May 3, 1899; Amos Tuck, Jr., September 10, 1901.

Benjamin Brown, January 26, 1872; died, February 4, 1873.

Ellen, June 15, 1879; married, January 14, 1901, Alfred Gwynne Vanderbilt, and has William H., November 24, 1901.

French continued as President of the Manhattan Trust Company till his death. Mrs. French is living at Villa St. Priest, Cannes, France.

(See Class Secretary's Report, 1893.)

WILLIAM GLEASON GOLDSMITH

Born: Andover, Mass., November 28, 1832.

Address: Andover, Mass.

Parents: Jeremiah and Elizabeth (Gleason) Goldsmith.

Degrees: A.B., A.M.

Married: March 29, 1865, Joanna Bailey, daughter of Peter Holt of North Andover, Mass.

Children:

Clara Gleason, February 16, 1866; died, March 4, 1873.

Clarence, May 29, 1874 (S.B. Mass. Inst. Tech., 1899);

Hydraulic Engineer for the National Board of Fire Underwriters, New York; married, June 14, 1904, Ethel Peabody Southwick, and has William Gleason, February 7, 1907.

Bessie Punchard, November 21, 1882.

CHARLES PERCIVAL GORELY

Born: London, England, January 25, 1835.

Address: 141 Milk Street, Boston, Mass., and 56 Crawford Street, Roxbury, Mass.

Parents: Daniel and Elizabeth (Howorth) Gorely.

School: Public Latin School, Boston.

Degrees: A.B., A.M.

Married: June 23, 1891, Mrs. Martha Druce (Coleman), daughter of Oliver S. Sanford. She died October 5, 1908.

Children:

Edith Shepard, July 31, 1892.

Carl Percival, January 5, 1895.

* GEORGE GORHAM

Born: Canandaigua, N. Y., May 25, 1837.

Died: Buffalo, N. Y., June 2, 1906.

Parents: Nathaniel and Mary (Parsons) Gorham.

School: Phillips Exeter.

Degree: A.B.

Married: (first) October 24, 1860, Emily A., daughter of Hon. Nathan K. Hall of Buffalo, N. Y.; she died, May 29, 1863; (second) June 14, 1866, Ellen, daughter of Edward Marvine of Auburn, N. Y.; she died January 1, 1886.

Children:

Emily Grace, August 23, 1861; married, January 22, 1891, Charles Clifton; has Katharine Gould, August

- 14, 1892, died, January 30, 1902; Gorham, November 29, 1893; Alice Dorsheimer, May 26, 1903.
- Frances Perry, March 17, 1867; married, September 22, 1892, Dr. John Parmenter; has Richard, November 16, 1894.
- Nathaniel, January 6, 1869; married, April 16, 1897, Vivette Herschede.
- Marvine, November 1, 1870; married Sarah G. White, June 30, 1909; address: 170 McDougel Avenue, Detroit, Mich.
- Mary Parsons, June 21, 1875; died October 12, 1884.
- Margaret Robertson, May 29, 1877; married Ernest Harold Cluett; has John Parmenter, September 8, 1900, William Gorham, July 16, 1903, and Gorham, November 12, 1907.

* EDWIN GROVER

Born: Newton, Mass., March 24, 1835.

Died: White River, near Duvall's Bluff, Ark., January 20, 1864.

Parents: Simeon and Abigail (Hagar) Grover.

Degree: A.B.

Married: March 24, 1860, Anna M., daughter of Thomas Porter of North Dighton, Mass.

(See Class Secretary's Report, 1882.)

* JOSEPH AUGUSTINE HALE

Born: Pawtucket, Mass. (now R. I.), December 2, 1835.

Died: Badenweiler, Baden, September 18, 1867.

Parents: Joseph (1828) and Helen Lucretia (Gookin) Hale.

School: Public Latin School, Boston, Mass.

Degrees: A.B., A.M.

Unmarried.

(See Class Secretary's Report, 1882.)

* FRANKLIN HAVEN

Born: Boston, Mass., October 11, 1836.

Died: Boston, Mass., April 7, 1908.

Parents: Franklin and S. A. (Curtis) Haven.

School: Public Latin School, Boston, Mass.

Degrees: A.B., A.M.

Married: Boston, Mass., March 1, 1904, Mrs. Florence Endicott Davis. He remained President of the Merchants Bank until his death. He had presided at a meeting of the Military Historical Society of Massachusetts on the evening of April 7, and was apparently in perfect health. He went to his home and sat down to read in his study. A short time after he was found dead in his chair.

* AUGUSTUS ALLEN HAYES

Born: Jamaica Plain, Mass., September 8, 1837.

Died: Paris, France, April 18, 1892.

Parents: Augustus Allen and Henrietta Bridge (Dana) Hayes.

School: Public Latin School, Boston, Mass.

Degrees: A.B., A.M.

Married: April 10, 1871, Emily Rölker, daughter of William H. Fuller. She died, Dinard, France, August 20, 1899.

Child:

Florence Rowan, November 26, 1872.

(See Class Secretary's Report, 1893.)

JAMES JACKSON HIGGINSON

Born: New York, N. Y., June 19, 1836.

Address: 16 East 41st Street, New York, N. Y.

Parents: George and Mary Cabot (Lee) Higginson.

School: Public Latin School, Boston, Mass.

Degree: A.B.

Married: November 11, 1869, Margaret Bethune, daughter of Archibald Gracie of Elizabeth, N. J.

Children:

Margaret Gracie, January 16, 1872; married, June 1, 1894, Clarence Stoughton Fiske; he died February 25, 1910; children, Margaret Gracie, March 9, 1896; Barbara, September 7, 1897; John, September 17, 1900; Dorothy Brooks, September 19, 1902.

Elizabeth Bethune, June 5, 1875, married, March 31, 1909, Charles Jackson, son of C. C. Jackson (1863); lives at Dover, Mass.

Dorothy Lee, August 7, 1878; married, May 27, 1907, Arthur Delano Weeks.

James Jackson, Junior, September 9, 1884 (A.B. and A.M. 1908).

Thomas Lee, died, Geneseo, N. Y., January 6, 1906.

In 1904, Mayor Low of New York appointed him a member of the Board of Education. His life for some years has been spent in service as Director and Patron of certain benevolent institutions in New York. He is now President of the New York Harvard Club.

* THORNDIKE DELAND HODGES

Born: Salem, Mass., December 19, 1836.

Died: Topsfield, Mass., June 6, 1900.

Parents: John and Mary O. (Deland) Hodges.

School: Latin School, Salem, Mass.

Degree: A.B.

Married: April 25, 1867, Mary Williams Bowen of Zanesville, Ohio; she died November 28, 1908.

Children:

Mabel Thorndike, January 30, 1868; married Joseph Kittredge (M.D., 1880), and has Joseph, November 26, 1890; Francis Bowen, October 7, 1898; Edwina, December 9, 1900.

Charles Bowen, June 29, 1870 (M. E. Stevens, 1891); married Imogene Burt, and has Charles Bowen, December 7, 1901, and Richard Burt, March 7, 1905.

Fanny Edwina, July 14, 1872; died, 1890.

Richard Osgood, April 1, 1877 (M. E. Law. Sc. Sch. 1899); is an engineer in Pittsburgh, Penn.; married Abby Dana Ames.

* GEORGE HOLLINGSWORTH

Born: Groton, Mass., July 29, 1836.

Died: Groton, Mass., August 8, 1859.

Parents: John M. and Emmeline (Cornell) Hollingsworth.

Unmarried.

(See Class Secretary's Report, 1882.)

*** JACOB FARNUM HOLT**

Born: Greenfield, N. H., July 24, 1831.

Died: Philadelphia, Penn., August 30, 1908.

Parents: Farnum and Lucy Cummings (Pevey) Holt.

School: Phillips Andover Academy.

Degrees: A.B., A.M., M.D. (Univ. Penn.), 1859.

Married: July 20, 1898, Laura C. Watters of Ashland, Penn.

Child:

Lucie, November 5, 1899.

Holt continued in the practice of medicine and in educational work, living at 1935 Poplar Street, Philadelphia, to the date of his death. He was highly respected as a physician and a teacher.

*** GEORGE ABBOTT HOOD**

Born: Lynn, Mass., September 7, 1835.

Died: Lynn, Mass., October 20, 1865.

Parents: George and Hermione (Breed) Hood.

School: Lynn High School.

Degrees: A.B., A.M.

Married: November 23, 1858, Emma J. Calvert of Louisville, Ky.

Children:

Ella Hermione, December 6, 1859; married, February 23, 1880, Gaius L. Kathan, and has Maude Calvert, October 7, 1882; and Earl Herman, March 30, 1890. Harriet Monks, September 8, 1861; is supervisor and special teacher of drawing and penmanship at West-erly, R. I; her mother lives with her.

Persis Calvert, July 8, 1863; died, January 16, 1865.

(See Class Secretary's Report, 1882.)

* CHARLES PAINE HORTON

Born: Boston, October 1, 1836.

Died: Boston, Mass., December 2, 1906.

Parents: Henry Kenney and Helen M. (Barnes) Horton.

Degree: A.B.

Unmarried.

* SOLOMON LINCOLN

Born: Hingham, Mass., August 14, 1838.

Died: At his home, the Hotel Agassiz in Boston, October 15, 1907.

Parents: Solomon (A.M., Brown, 1822) and Mehitabel (Lincoln) Lincoln.

School: D. B. Tower's school, and E. W. Gurney (1852).

Degrees: A.B., A.M., LL.B.

Married: February 15, 1865, Ellen B., daughter of Hon. Joel Hayden of Haydenville, Mass. She died, Boston, March 18, 1897.

Child:

Bessie, June 28, 1868; married Murray Anthony Potter (1895).

During the last years of his life — as ever before — Lincoln held the place of an eminent lawyer, a highly honored member of the community, a warm and devoted friend. Long, in speaking before the Bar Association, has said: . . . “His range of practice was large. He was counsel for some of our largest corporate interests. . . . He was recognized as an especially wise and safe adviser in Chambers; he was also one of the most busily engaged advocates before juries and the judges. . . . His manner was always that of a gentleman. He was straightforward, earnest, and honest. His preparation was complete, both in the law and

in the facts. There was no subterfuge or trick or sharp practice. No client ever had more loyal or painstaking counsel." Lincoln was for many years one of the Overseers of the University and for twelve years the President of the Board; President of the Bar Association for two years. He was President of the Talbot Woolen Company, and of the Union and St. Botolph clubs; Chairman of the Trustees of the Boston Public Library; President of the Unitarian Club; a member of the Massachusetts Historical Society and a member in many learned, business, and social organizations.

JOHN DAVIS LONG

Born: Buckfield, Me., October 27, 1838.

Address: Haynes Building, Boston, and Hingham, Mass.

Parents: Zadoc and Julia Temple (Davis) Long.

Schools: Common schools in Buckfield, Me., and Hebron Academy.

Degrees: A.B., LL.D., 1880; Tufts, 1902.

Married: (first) September 13, 1870, Mary Woodward, daughter of George S. Glover of Hingham. She died, Boston, February 16, 1882; (second) May 22, 1886, Agnes, daughter of Rev. Joseph D. Peirce of Attleborough, Mass.

Children:

Margaret, October 28, 1873; A.B. (Smith), 1895; Member of Massachusetts Medical Society, 1903; Colorado State Medical Society, 1906; M.D. (Johns Hopkins), 1907; spent a year as physician at a charitable institution in New York and is now practising her profession in Denver, Colo.

Helen, June 16, 1875; died in Hingham, October 4, 1901.

Peirce, December 29, 1887; was at the Derby Academy in Hingham and the Middlesex School, Concord, Mass.; A.B. in the Class of 1910.

In June, 1895, Long published "After Dinner and Other Speeches"; in 1903, a valuable work on "The New American Navy" in two volumes, and at the Commencement in 1905 he gave to each member of the class a small, privately published volume of his poems.

The "Proceedings of the Massachusetts Historical Society" for June, 1909, contains his article on "Reminiscences of seventy years' education"; he delivered the Fourth of July oration in Boston in 1882, orations in commemoration of Governor Rice, Mayor Collins, and Vice-President Hamlin, and many other addresses.

In March, 1897, he became Secretary of the Navy by appointment from President McKinley and continued the same under President Roosevelt; he resigned the office, May 1, 1902. In this position he carried the department through the Spanish-American War.

At the Class dinner in June, 1901, he sent a telegram inviting the whole Class to be his guests on the U. S. S. *Dolphin* at New London, Conn., to witness the Harvard-Yale boat-race at that place. Fisher, Goldsmith, and Brown accepted the invitation.

In 1884 he was a delegate to the national Republican convention, and made a speech nominating George F. Edwards for the Presidency. In 1904 he was a delegate to the Presidential convention which met at Chicago and assisted in the nomination of Theodore Roosevelt (1881).

At the Memorial Hall exercises on Commencement Day, 1907, Long was to respond for the Class; but the lateness of the hour when he was called prevented his delivering the address which he had prepared. It is given in full in the *Harvard Graduates' Magazine* of September, 1907. He thus speaks of

his classmates: "I should be happy to speak for my classmates if I knew where they are . . . I cannot find them. I am sure, however, that they are all here — a few with their shields, though the rest are on them — all here or accounted for, ready, while their Alma Mater calls the roll, to lay their record in her lap, hoping to receive on their heads the pat of her benignant hand. They have done the best they could."

He is a member of the Massachusetts Historical Society and President of the Puritan Trust Company of Boston, and is, as ever, actively engaged in public and benevolent work and as trustee of large estates. He has been President of the Overseers since the place was vacated by Lincoln. He gave the oration at the Abraham Lincoln Centennial in Symphony Hall, Boston, February 12, 1909. At the Inauguration of President Lowell in the College Yard, October 6, 1909, he inducted the new officer to office.

* ABRAM LELAND LOWELL

Born: Chester, Vt.

Died: Brooklyn, N. Y., October 12, 1882.

Degrees: A.B., M.D. (Bellevue, N. Y.) 1863.

(See Class Secretary's Report, 1882.)

CHARLES VICTOR MAPES

Born: New York, N. Y., July 4, 1836.

Address: 143 Liberty Street, or 60 West 40th Street, New York, N. Y.

Parents: James Jay (LL.D. Williams) and Sophia (Furman) Mapes.

Degree: A.B.

Married: June 25, 1863, Mary Meeker Halstead.

Children:

Charles Halstead, June 28, 1864.

James Jay, January 17, 1866.

Herbert Spencer, February 28, 1868 (Columbia, Arts, 1890; Mines, 1892); was drowned while attempting the rescue of children at Fire Island, N. Y.; his fellows speak of him as "a good student, a good athlete, and a man filled with the proper kind of college spirit"; they have erected a gate to his memory at the entrance to the college grounds, Boulevard and 119th Street, New York. (See *Columbia Univ. Bull.*, xvii, 137, 170.)

Victor Royle, March 10, 1870 (Columbia, 1891); studied literature and the drama at the Sorbonne, Paris; is the author of many successful plays and will make the drama his life work; married, June 5, 1900, Anna Louise Hoeke.

Clive Harbeck, September 9, 1878.

JOSEPH MAY

Born: Boston, Mass., January 21, 1836.

Address: Hotel Gladstone, Philadelphia, Penn.

Parents: Rev. Samuel Joseph (1817) and Lucretia Flagge (Coffin) May.

School: Private school in Syracuse, N. Y.

Degrees: A.B., Div. Sch. 1865; LL.D. (Jeff. Univ.) 1887.

Married: (first) October 24, 1865, Harriet Charles, daughter of Philip C. Johnson of Washington, D. C.; she died February 5, 1881; (second) November 29, 1891, Elizabeth Bacon, daughter of Warner Justice of Philadelphia.

Children:

Lucretia, November 10, 1866; married, 1898, Abram H. Wintersteen, a prominent lawyer of Philadelphia; has John, July 30, 1897, and Joseph May, February 4, 1903.

John Edward, March 23, 1868; he was educated at the Penn Charter school and the Massachusetts Institute of Technology, which latter school he left to take a situation in the Pennsylvania Railroad and later with the C. B. & Q. R. R. at Chicago; he had charge of a bridge on a road connecting St. Louis and Alton, Ill., for several years; married, July 15, 1902, Grace Leonard of Alton; he has one daughter, Harriet, May 14, 1903. In 1902 he became a broker in Chicago and is now manager, at 234 LaSalle Street, of the branch house of Bond & Goodwin, of Boston.

Sarah, January 17, 1870; married, February 12, 1901, Walter Dumaux Edmonds, and lives at 18 West 11th Street, New York; has John Buckley, November 28, 1901; Walter Dumaux, Junior, July 15, 1903, and Mary Elizabeth, January 1, 1909.

William Ropes, January 19, 1874 (1894; M.D. 1898); is now practising medicine at 146 East 39th Street, New York.

In January, 1901, after twenty-five years' service May resigned his pastorship of the First Unitarian Church of Philadelphia and was made Pastor Emeritus. During his ministerial life he was a frequent contributor to religious and secular periodicals and published many sermons. He was active in social and political movements for reform and preached many discourses on cognate topics. He wrote a biography of Reverend Samuel Longfellow (1839) and edited a volume of his sermons.

In 1901 he published a volume entitled "The Miracles and Myths of the New Testament," which was republished in 1908 in England.

In 1901 he wrote a memoir of John Codman Ropes, which has been privately printed.

Since his retirement from the ministry May has lived abroad much of the time, particularly in Rome. His leisure, in later years, has been chiefly devoted to the reading of classical and mediæval history and to the study of art and of the modern languages. He lives at the Hotel Gladstone in Philadelphia when in America.

In 1860 he wrote a song for the class dinner of which the following are stanzas :

Alas! Youth shall wane like the sand in the glass :
E'en as we are singing, its swift moments pass.
Our brows shall be wrinkled, our step shall be slow,
But, say, shall our hearts be less faithful than now?

No! dear Alma Mater! around thee for aye
Fond memories cluster that know not decay;
And the last grey-hair brother that lingereth here
'Fifty-seven and Harvard united shall cheer!

ROBERT McNEIL MORSE

Born: Boston, Mass., August 11, 1837.

Address: Equitable Building, Boston, Mass., and 60 Burroughs Street, Jamaica Plain.

Parents: Robert M. and Sarah Maria (Clark) Morse.

School: Eliot High School.

Degree: A.B.

Married: November 11, 1863, Anna Eliza, daughter of James L. Gorham of Jamaica Plain, Mass.

Children:

Mabel, August 10, 1864; married, October 21, 1891, Daniel David Lee; has Rosamond, August 29, 1894; Eleanor, January 5, 1896; Gorham, March 23, 1898; Anita, November 17, 1899; Katharine, October 9, 1902; Elizabeth, August, 1906.

Arthur Gorham, October 15, 1865, died, October 15, 1866.

Harold, September 13, 1866; died, September 1, 1868.

Alice Gorham, November 19, 1867; married, September 27, 1906, Edgar Oakes Achorn.

Sarah Clark, August 12, 1872; married, April 28, 1898, Louis Cutler Whiting and has Sylvia, March 3, 1900.

Robert Gorham, August 23, 1874; A.M. Columbia, 1899; a musical composer of note; well known as author of "Up the Street," etc.; married, January 25, 1906, Marion Child of Hingham, Mass., and has Robert McNeil, November 19, 1907; is assistant treasurer of the Massachusetts Steel Casting Company.

Margaret Fessenden, November 28, 1877; has written "The Spirit of the Pines," and, in 1909, "On the Road to Arden."

In 1904 Morse issued a memorial on the death of Stackpole and the proceedings of the Suffolk Bar on the same. He has continued a successful practice of law in Boston in the courts of the United States and State. June 30, 1909, he was appointed by Governor Draper chairman of the Commission to investigate the delay in the trial of civil cases. He was chosen vice-president of the Union Club in December, 1908.

* SAMUEL NEWELL

Born: May 22, 1833.

Died: Westborough, Mass., February 15, 1891.

Degree: A.B.

Married: May 1, 1867, Mary L., daughter of John Marshall of West Newbury, Mass. She died, August, 1906.

Children:

Samuel, September 2, 1869; now carries on the farm at Great Barrington, Mass.

Marshall, April 2, 1871; died, Springfield, Mass., December 24, 1897. The report of his class (1902) contains memoirs by J. C. Sharp and B. G. Waters; a heliotype serves as a frontispiece; a book, "Marshall Newell, a Memorial for his Classmates and Friends," has been published; the new boathouse at Soldiers Field is called after him; and the gate of his class bears his name.

Gerrish, May 26, 1873; married, March 20, 1902, Mary Ann Ensign of Simsbury, Conn.; he lives at Arlington, N. J.

Elizabeth, June 18, 1874.

(See Class Secretary's Report, 1893.)

* PATRICK ALOYSIUS O'CONNELL

Born: Killarney, Ireland, June 2, 1835.

Died: Santa Barbara, Cal., January 6, 1874.

Parents: Maurice and Honora (Dennahy) O'Connell.

Unmarried.

Degrees: A.B., A.M., M.D.

(See Class Secretary's Report, 1882.)

* SAMUEL BRECK PARKMAN

Born: Near Augusta, Ga., November 1, 1836.

Died: At Sharpsburg, Md., September 17, 1862.

Parent: Samuel Breck Parkman, a cotton merchant of Savannah, Ga.

School: Maurice School, Sing Sing, N. Y., and C. C. Felton (1827).

Degree: A.B.

Married: Nannie, daughter of Oliver Beirne of Western Virginia. Six years after Parkman's death she married Baron Emil von Ahlefeldt of Schleswig-Holstein, and at last account was at Union Station, West Virginia.

(See Class Secretary's Report, 1882.)

* JAMES AMORY PERKINS

Born: Dorchester, Mass., July 9, 1836.

Died: At Fort Wagner, Morris Island, S. C., August 26, 1863.

Parents: William and Catherine Callender (Amory) Perkins.

Degree: A.B.

Unmarried.

His memoir, by Ropes, occurs in Harvard Memorial Biographies, Vol. I. A post of the G. A. R. of Massachusetts was named for him and is now at Everett in that State. A sister, the widow of Dr. John Homans (1858) now lives with her sons and daughters, at 164 Beacon Street, Boston.

(See Class Secretary's Report, 1882.)

* DAVID DODGE RANLETT

Born: Charlestown, Mass., February 26, 1838.

Died: Fairhaven, Vt., July 17, 1901.

Parents: Charles Augustus and Esther Minerva (Dodge) Ranlett.

Degrees: A.B., LL.B.

Married: August 23, 1865, Ellen Augusta Brown of Charlestown, Mass. She died, April 11, 1895.

Children:

Edith Helen, December 14, 1871; died, June 1, 1872.

Helen Augusta, May 15, 1878 (Radcliffe, 1901); left St. Albans in 1902, studied law in New York and now practices her profession in that city.

Ranlett was present at Commencement in 1901; had been very ill for two years, but had then recovered. He had held many positions of honor and trust and was highly esteemed by his fellow-townsmen.

* EBEN RICHARDS

Born: Brookline, Mass., December 13, 1835.

Died: St. Louis, Mo., January 25, 1891.

Parents: Ebenezer and Theoline (Tilden) Richards.

School: Wyman's School, Alton, Ill.

Degrees: A.B., A.M.

Married: March 30, 1859, Caroline Beckwith, daughter of James Maxwell.

Children:

Grace, March 1, 1860; married, December 31, 1879,

Robert McKittrick Jones and had Hugh McKittrick, November 10, 1880 (1901).

Carrie Louisa, September 28, 1863; married, March 27,

1890, Charles Claflin Allen; has Grace, November 20, 1891; Claflin, October 5, 1893.

Eben, January 10, 1866; (1886); LL.B. St. Louis, 1888; married, April 15, 1896, Perle Pierce, and has Eben, July 10, 1897; Mary Finlay, August 22, 1899; practised law in St. Louis, Mo., from 1888 to 1903. Was for four years a member of the city council of St. Louis. Professor of Medical Jurisprudence in Marion-Sims Medical College and Lecturer on Damages at the St. Louis Law School.

Theoline Tilden, January 23, 1869; married, June 4, 1890, William Victor Jones, and has Margaret McKittrick, March 18, 1892.

Mary, January 28, 1875, married, February 12, 1900, Tom Russell Wyles; has Tom Russell, Junior, June 30, 1902, and Mary Caroline, January 6, 1906.

Ethel, November 4, 1878, married, December 31, 1906, Humphrey Birge, and has George K., May 13, 1909.

Long, writing from St. Louis, March 15, 1907, says that he "called on Mrs. Richards. . . . Eben, Jr., passed with credit through Harvard, and took high rank in the law in St. Louis; is now President and General Counsel of the Mexican Central Railroad with office at 25 Broadway, New York. The five daughters married men of standing. Judge Allen spoke most cordial words of Richards. He has left a good memory."

(See Class Secretary's Report, 1893.)

* FRANCIS CODMAN ROPES

Born: Islington, London, England, October 7, 1837.

Died: Boston, Mass., September 15, 1869.

Parents: William and Mary Anne (Codman) Ropes.

School: Chauncey Hall School, Boston, Mass.

Degrees: A.B., A.M., M.D. 1860, L.R.C.P.E., L.R.C.S.E., F.R.C.S.E.

Unmarried:

(See Class Secretary's Report, 1882.)

* JOHN CODMAN ROPES

Born: St. Petersburg, Russia, April 28, 1836.

Died: Boston, Mass., October 27, 1899.

Parents: William and Mary Anne (Codman) Ropes.

School: Chauncey Hall School, Boston, Mass.

Degrees: A.B., LL.B., LL.D.

Unmarried.

Ropes continued in the practice of the law in the firm of Ropes, Gray, and Loring; he held an eminent place, filling many offices of honor and trust.

From boyhood Ropes was an admirer of Napoleon; and his frequent visits to the European battlefields and libraries gave him special opportunities for obtaining that full and exact information which characterized his Lowell lectures on "The First Napoleon," soon after published in a volume. He wrote "The Army under Pope," in the campaign series of the Civil War, and published numerous articles in *Scribner's* and the *Atlantic: e. g.*, "The Likenesses of Julius Caesar," "Who lost Waterloo?" "The Campaign of Waterloo," "Some Illustrations of Napoleon and His Times," "General McClellan," "The Battle of Gettysburg," "The War as We see It Now," "General Sherman," etc. Also brief memoirs of his friends Palfrey, Devens, and Gray for the Proceedings of the Massachusetts Historical Society. His last work was "The Story of the Civil War," two volumes of which have appeared; others were contemplated but left unfinished.

Ropes was associated with the Republican party, was an

overseer of Harvard College, Treasurer of the Union Club, fellow of the American Academy of Arts and Sciences, a member of the Massachusetts Historical Society and various others, and the founder of the Military Historical Society of Massachusetts. President Hayes appointed him on the board of visitors to the U. S. Military Academy at West Point. He was the first president of the first Civil Service Reform Club in Massachusetts. He enjoyed the rare distinction of being made a companion of the Loyal Legion of the United States, besides being an honorary member of the United States Cavalry Association, and a fellow of the Royal Historical Society of London.

In 1902 the class placed a marble tablet to his memory in Memorial Hall with the following inscription:

To
JOHN CODMAN ROPES

BORN APRIL 28, 1836

DIED OCT. 28, 1899

HARVARD COLLEGE, 1857

*His classmates erect this memorial
Life may be given in many ways
And loyalty to truth be sealed
As bravely in the closet
As the field*

A volume containing a memoir by May and Sowdon, addresses at the Massachusetts Historical, the Military Historical, and other societies was privately printed in 1901. This also contains a bibliographical record of his writings.

Ropes died at his home in Boston, October 27, 1899. His funeral at Trinity Church was largely attended. The number of young people present was very noticeable.

* JACOB GEBHARD RUNKLE

Born: Root, N. Y., August 6, 1831.

Died: Cobleskill, N. Y., April 14, 1900.

Parents: Daniel and Sally (Gordon) Runkle.

Degrees: A.B., A.M.

Married: June 4, 1863, Ella, daughter of Hon. Joseph H. Ramsey of Albany, N. Y.

Child:

Grace, June 3, 1867.

Runkle was at Commencement in 1895 and again in 1896. Then, as ever, his warm nature, his love for his friends and his loyalty to the Class were especially noticed. His illness for many years prevented his engaging in active business and he lived quietly at Cobleskill, faithfully attended by his daughter, Grace. She became educated as a trained nurse in Albany and for some years proved a valuable assistant to the medical men of that place and New York. Later she went into the business of furnishing surgical supplies, instruments, apparatus, and attendance at surgical operations. She is now at 38 Irving Place, Brooklyn, New York.

GEORGE MARY SEARLE

Born: London, England, June 27, 1839.

Address: Church of the Paulist Fathers, 415 West 59th Street, New York, N. Y.

Parents: Thomas and Anne (Noble) Searle.

Degrees: A.B., A.M. (Ph.D. Catholic University).

Unmarried.

Searle was born in London, England, of an English mother,

who was a relative of Rear-Admiral Sir William Parry, the Arctic explorer. On the paternal side he is in direct line from Robert Searle who lived in Dorchester, Mass., in 1662; and also of Thomas Dudley, first Lieutenant-Governor of Massachusetts. He was related to the celebrated Mrs. Ann Hutchinson, a cousin of the poet, Dryden.

Since the date of the last report Searle has continued actively engaged in the work of the Paulist Fathers and in scientific research. It has been said of him that he is among the leaders of the country in mathematical and scientific work. The chief work of the Paulist Fathers is patterned after their patron, Saint Paul, and is to spread the Gospel and engage in mission work. Much of their labor is devoted to non-Catholics. Nearly one half the members of the order have been converts from Protestantism. Of this body Searle was made Superior General in 1904, the fourth in the history of the Institute. An account of his religious change is found in the "Stories of Conversions."

He has written "Plain Facts for Fair Minds" and "How to become a Catholic." Of the former work five hundred and fifty-nine thousand have been issued and other works of a religious character.

A writer in the *Catholic World* in August, 1904, says of him "that in all the years of his priesthood no one of his brethren has been more assiduous in the discharge of the duties of his sacred office or more regular and edifying in his observance of his rule. By the sick and poor of St. Paul's parish his name is venerated and beloved. To his fellow Paulists his example has been uplifting and stimulating. To his penitents he has been a loving father and spiritual guide. To his superiors always a wise and careful and discreet counsellor. . . . Taken for all in all the new Paulist Superior is a man *teres atque rotundus*; a man of ability, a man of charity, a man of piety."

* ROBERT DICKSON SMITH

Born: Brandon, Miss., April 23, 1838.

Died: Boston, Mass., May 30, 1888.

Parents: John DeWolfe and Judith Wells (Smith) Smith.

School: Hallowell Academy, Maine.

Degrees: A.B., A.M., LL.B.

Married: July 30, 1863, Paulina Cony, daughter of George Melville Weston of Washington, D. C.

Children:

Robert Dickson, May 8, 1864; in 1886 he changed his name to Weston-Smith, and again, October 1, 1906, to Robert Dickson Weston; married, October 4, 1888, Anstiss, daughter of Charles F. Walcott (1857), and Anne, daughter of Morrill Wyman (1833, M.D. 1837); has Robert Weston, December 21, 1889; Charles, September 25, 1891; Melville, December 22, 1893; Anstiss, March 27, 1895. Weston is practising law at 70 State Street, Boston.

Alice Weston Smith, November 10, 1868.

Melville Weston Smith, May 24, 1870; died May 14, 1880.

Paulina Cony Smith, August 8, 1873; married, January 26, 1907, Rev. Alexander V. G. Allen, S.T.D. (1886), who died July 1, 1908.

Mrs. R. D. Smith, Mrs. Allen, and R. D. Weston and his family all live in Cambridge.

(See Class Secretary's Report, 1893.)

ARTHUR JOHN CLARK SOWDON

Born: Boston, March 6, 1835.

Address: 66 Beacon Street, Boston, Mass.

Parents: John and Charlotte Harrison (Capen) Sowdon.

Schools: Tower's and Baker's private schools and Public Latin School.

Degrees: A.B., A.M., LL.B.

In June, 1903, he was present by invitation at Trinity College, Hartford, Conn. May 4, 1904, he was chosen for the sixth time a Deputy to the Triennial General Convention of the Episcopal Church.

Sowdon was unable to attend the convention in Richmond on account of his health. His absence called forth many expressions of tender regard and appreciation of his work.

The Massachusetts delegation did a gracious thing and gave him much pleasure by sending him a "round robin" from Richmond. Bishop Lawrence thoughtfully sent him a personal card with a message of sympathy. The Connecticut deputies, through Dr. Harriman, their chairman, sent a card with the words "We miss you" on it. A resolution came from his own committee, that on expenses. He received letters from Dr. McKim, President of the House of Deputies, Dr. Anstice, secretary, Mr. Skiddy, treasurer, and from many deputies besides. Finally came a resolution of sympathy from the House of Deputies itself, offered by Dr. Alsop of Brooklyn. These messages brought much cheer into the sick room and showed the estimation in which he is held abroad as well as at home.

In May, 1909, he was chosen for the seventeenth time to the Standing Committee of the Diocese of Massachusetts. November 10, 1909, he was re-elected President of the Episcopal Church Association for the *twenty-seventh year*.

From 1895 to 1906 he was Governor of the Society of Colonial Wars of Massachusetts, in 1905 was elected Governor-General of the General Society, and again in May, 1908.

Within the last few years he has accepted membership in the following societies: The American Forestry Association, The National Geographic Society, The Association for the Advancement of Science, The American Political Science Association.

*** JOSEPH LEWIS STACKPOLE**

Born: Boston, March 20, 1838.

Died: Boston, Mass., January 2, 1904.

Parents: Joseph Lewis (1824) and Susan Margaret (Benjamin) Stackpole.

Degrees: A.B., LL.B.

Married: March 3, 1863, Martha Watson, daughter of William Parsons of Boston, and granddaughter of Chief Justice Theophilus Parsons.

Children:

Elizabeth Virginia, January 14, 1865; married, January 26, 1899, George S. Howland of New York; now living in Paris.

Alice, June 6, 1866; living with her mother in Boston.
Joseph Lewis, January 19, 1868; died November 26, 1873.

Joseph Lewis, November 16, 1874; married, October 16, 1899, Katharine Whiteside Brown of Chicago, Ill., and has Joseph Lewis, 3d, July 20, 1902, and Elizabeth, July 22, 1904. He is now practising law in Boston.

A memorial containing the proceedings of the Suffolk Bar and a tribute by Adams (1856) was published in 1904. After alluding to the service of Stackpole in the war of 1861-1865

where he served as a brave and gallant officer, as judge advocate, and provost judge, Morse says: "Throughout his practice he was distinguished by ample knowledge of the law, absolute integrity, courage, and independence, sound judgment, a high order of ability, unvarying courtesy, and a great sense of humor and sparkling wit which relieved many difficult situations and contributed largely to his success."

* JAMES STARR

Born: Philadelphia, Penn., July 19, 1837.

Died: Germantown, Penn., September 1, 1881.

Parents: Isaac and Lydia (Ducoing) Starr.

Degrees: A.B., A.M., LL.B. (Univ. Penn.).

Married: June 12, 1869, Mary, daughter of George Emlen.

Children:

James, April 5, 1870; married, October 15, 1901, Sarah Logan Wister; and has Sarah Logan, June 13, 1903. He is in the coal business in Philadelphia, and Secretary of the Collieries Supply and Equipment Company; he served in the First City Troop through the Spanish-American War in Porto Rico.

George Emlen, October 23, 1871; married, November 7, 1899, Karoline Nixon Newhall; she died, September 21, 1909; he is Treasurer of the United Railroads of San Francisco, Cal., at 1174 Broadway.

Ellen Markoe, May 12, 1873; married, February 9, 1901, Edward Shippen Watson Farnum, and lives in Chestnut Hill; has Edward S. W., January 26, 1902; James Starr, May 26, 1903; Ralph, January 1, 1905.

Lydia, May 18, 1876; married, December 14, 1901,

Oliver Boyce Judson (1889), LL.B. (Penn.), 1893; lives in California.

Theodore Ducoing, January 14, 1880; married, February 17, 1901, Sarah Carmalt of Utica, N. Y.; and has Charlotte Churchill, April 22, 1902, and Theodore D., Jr., April 12, 1907; lives at Chestnut Hill, Penn.

Mrs. Starr lives at Morton and Cliveden streets, Germantown, Penn.

(See Class Secretary's Report, 1882.)

* HENRY JAMES STEVENS

Born: Andover, Mass., February 2, 1837.

Died: Boston, December 9, 1891.

Parents: James and Lydia (Gardner) Stevens.

School: Phillips Exeter Academy.

Degree: A.B.

Married: September 23, 1863, Helen M., daughter of Edward Granger of Pittsford, Vt.; she died in New York, October 9, 1905.

Children:

Gertrude Mead, married, April 7, 1891, G. Otto Kunhardt, and lives in her father's old mansion in North Andover.

Mary Sweetser, May 13, 1867; married, July 3, 1894, Edward Sherman Dodge, and lives in Cambridge.

Georgia Lydia, May 8, 1870; lives at Rochampton, England.

Helen Granger and Isabella Abbot, twins, April 5, 1876. Georgia and Isabel are unmarried, the latter a graduate nurse from the Presbyterian Hospital,

New York. Helen married, April 29, 1909, John Gardner Coolidge (1884).

(See Class Secretary's Report, 1893.)

LIVINGSTON STONE

Born: Cambridge, Mass., October 21, 1836.

Address: 835 East Hutchinson Street, Edgewood Park, near Pittsburgh, Penn.

Parents: Peter Robert and Lavinia (Winship) Stone.

School: Cambridge Latin School.

Degrees: A.B., A.M.

Married: April 8, 1875, Rebecca Saulsbury, daughter of Hon. Edmund L. Cushing of Charlestown, N. H.

Child:

Edmund Cushing, March 8, 1882 (1904); engaged in electrical engineering at the Westinghouse Plant in Pittsburgh, Penn.

Stone remained at Cape Vincent, N. Y., until 1906, and then removed to Pittsburgh, Penn. He has been called "The most eminent fish culturist of our time."

From 1871 to 1880 Stone and Seth Green carried 600,000 young shad from the Hudson across the continent and released them in the Sacramento and Columbia rivers. They now abound in all the rivers of the Pacific Coast, and the annual catch is more than 1,500,000 pounds. Striped bass, from Jersey waters, brought across in 1882, were ancestors of the fish of which 2,000,000 pounds are now taken each year from Los Angeles to British Columbia. These are but examples of the fish culture and transplantation in which Stone has had a very great if not the principal part during the past forty years.

* JAMES JACKSON STORROW

Born: Boston, Mass., July 29, 1837.

Died: Washington, D. C., April 15, 1897.

Parents: Charles Storer (1829) and Lydia Cabot (Jackson) Storrow.

Degree: A.B.

Married: (first) August, 1861, Annie M. Perry of Andover, Mass. She died, March 9, 1865; (second) Anne A. Dexter of Brookline, Mass. She died November 22, 1899.

Children:

Elizabeth Randolph, August 15, 1862.

James Jackson, January 21, 1864 (1885); married, October 1, 1891, Helen M. Osborne of Auburn, N. Y.; has James Jackson, 3d, November 20, 1892; is a partner in the banking firm of Lee, Higginson & Co., living in Boston in the winter and at Lincoln, Mass., in the summer; he has done much and good work in public matters, as overseer of the University, on the School Board of Boston, the Franklin Fund, etc; he is a director of many corporations and has been a liberal giver to the college in many ways; during the past year he was a candidate for the position of Mayor of Boston under the new charter.

Samuel, February 19, 1865; married, 1893, Cora Allen; lives at Los Angeles, Cal.

Storrow continued active in the practice of his profession, being especially devoted to patent law. July 20, 1896, the newspapers gave an abstract of his argument in the Venezuelan case. He was counsel for the American Bell Telephone Company, and frequently argued its cases in the State and National courts; he took no other in later years.

*** CHARLES FOLSOM WALCOTT**

Born: Hopkinton, Mass., December 22, 1836.

Died: Gooseberry Island, Salem Harbor, Mass., June 11, 1887.

Parents: Samuel (1819) and Martha (Pickman) Walcott.

School: Salem Latin School.

Degrees: A.B., LL.B.

Married: Cambridge, October 7, 1863, Anna Morrill, daughter of Morrill Wyman (1833; M.D. 1837; LL.D. 1885).

Children:

Anstiss, February 9, 1867; married, October 4, 1888, Robert Weston-Smith, and has Robert, December 21, 1889; Charles, September 25, 1891; Melville, December 22, 1893; Anstiss, March 27, 1895.

Charles, August 30, 1870; (1892) LL.B. 1895; married June 4, 1892, Martha, daughter of Frank Izard Eustis (1868) of Cambridge, and has Charles Folsom, May 14, 1904, and Eustis, September 16, 1908. He is Treasurer of the Newmarket Manufacturing Company, at 87 Milk Street, Boston, Mass.

(See Class Secretary's Report, 1893.)

*** HENRY COIT WELLES**

Born: Boston, Mass., November 29, 1836.

Died: Boston, Mass., January 16, 1869.

Parents: Alfred and Maria (Richards) Welles.

Degrees: A.B., LL.B.

Unmarried.

(See Class Secretary's Reports, 1866, 1882.)

* SAMUEL WELLS

Born: Hallowell, Me., September 9, 1836.

Died: At Boston, Mass., October 3, 1903.

Parents: Samuel and Louisa Ann (Appleton) Wells.

Degree: A.B.

Married: Boston, June 11, 1863, Catharine Boott, daughter of Rev. Ezra Stiles Gannett (1822, S.T.D. 1843).

Children:

Stiles Gannett, December 7, 1864 (1886); died, Boston, February 18, 1907.

Samuel, January 17, 1869 (1891); died, Redlands, Cal., February 10, 1899.

Louisa Appleton, December 23, 1872; lives in Boston with her mother.

Wells passed his professional life in Boston as a member of the firm of Bangs (1846) & Wells, holding many positions of great trust and highly respected in every one.

He removed to Commonwealth Avenue in 1895, where he died.

* ALLEN WHITMAN

Born: East Bridgewater, Mass., August 21, 1837.

Died: St. Paul, Minn., November 7, 1881.

Parents: Freedom and Sarah Bass (Allen) Whitman.

Degree: A.B.

Married: Pomeroy, Ohio, December 29, 1868, Frances T., daughter of Dr. G. S. Guthrie of Mt. Union, Ohio.

Children:

Frank Emerson, December 27, 1869; is now in the hardware business in St. Paul.

Mary Allen, January 4, 1872; died, June, 1872.

George McKean Folsom, June 2, 1878; died, April, 1880.

Mrs. Whitman and her son live at 545 Ashland Ave., St. Paul, Minn.

(See Class Secretary's Report, 1882.)

* GEORGE LUTHER WHITMAN

Born: Boston, Mass., August 22, 1834.

Died: Manchester, Conn., August 14, 1903.

Parents: Ephraim Parks and Sophronia Ann (Jones) Whitman.

Degree: A.B.

Married: March 31, 1868, Charlotte Helen, daughter of William H. Chandler of Thompson, Conn.

Children:

Mabel, February 28, 1869.

Maud, February 18, 1870.

* GEORGE WHITEMORE

Born: Boston, December 19, 1836.

Died: Killed in action, in the Union Army, at Sharpsburg, Md., September 17, 1862.

Parents: George and Anna (Mansfield) Whittemore.

School: Public Latin School, Boston.

Degree: A.B.

Unmarried.

(See Class Secretary's Report, 1882, and Harvard Memorial Biographies, Vol. I.)

*** JOSIAH NEWELL WILLARD**

Born: Provincetown, Mass., November 16, 1835.

Died: Philadelphia, Penn., May 1, 1870.

Parents: Dr. Henry and Rebecca A. (Grozier) Willard.

School: Public Latin School, Boston.

Degrees: A.B., M.D.

Unmarried.

(See Class Secretary's Report, 1882.)

*** HORATIO WOOD**

Born: Walpole, N. H., October 23, 1835.

Died: Lowell, Mass., October 12, 1901.

Parents: Rev. Horatio (1827, Div. 1832) and Abby (Abbot)
Wood.

Degree: A.B.

Unmarried.

TEMPORARY MEMBERS

* SAMUEL JOHN BELL died, Somerville, Mass., November 10, 1853.

* JAMES GERRITT BRADT died, Lowell, Mass., January 22, 1868.

JOHN EDWARD BUBIER, 27 School Street, Boston, Mass.

* ÉMILE LÉON CARRIÈRE died, Birmingham, Ala., April, 1892.

SERENO EDWARDS DWIGHT CURRIER, 2 Cedar Street, Roxbury, Mass.

* LEONARD DONHAM died February 25, 1857.

WILLIAM NEWHALL EAYRS, 205 Casino Avenue, Cranford, N. J.

* EDWARD AUGUSTUS GODDARD died, Northboro, Mass., March 1, 1904.

* WALTER SMITH HUNTER died, Washington, D. C., September, 23, 1863.

* ALONZO DOGGETT JACKSON died, December 11, 1875.

* WILLIAM COFFIN LITTLE died, Oakland, Cal., January 14, 1902.

* CHARLES JOHNSTONE MACBETH died April, 1880.

* JOHN DEXTER PORTER died June 6, 1867.

* JOHN TAYLOR RHETT died February, 1892.

* JAMES SULLIVAN ROBY died, Exeter, N. H., December 25, 1870.

* EDMUND ROWLAND died, Waterbury, Conn., March 22, 1908.

* HORACE NATHANIEL STEVENS died, North Andover, Mass., May 1, 1876.

* GEORGE BYRON WARE died September 27, 1859.

PRIZES

Bowdoin Prizes for Dissertations in English

- 1856 JAMES JACKSON STORROW
The Life and Works of William Hogarth.
- 1856 GEORGE WHITTEMORE
Relations of Aristotle and Alexander the Great.
- 1857 GEORGE WHITTEMORE
Benjamin Franklin as a Moralist and Philosopher.
- 1857 JAMES JACKSON STORROW
Benjamin Franklin as a Moralist and Philosopher.
- 1861 JOHN CODMAN ROPES
The Limits of Religious Thought.

Bowdoin Prizes for Dissertations in Greek or Latin

- 1857 JOSEPH LEWIS STACKPOLE }
ALLEN WHITMAN } Latin verse.
Cowper's Heroism.
- 1857 HORACE NEWTON FISHER (Greek Prose)
Περὶ τῶν τοῦ Δημοσθένους ἡμερῶν τῶν ὑστάτων.

Boyden Mathematical Prize

GEORGE SEARLE

Boylston Prizes for Elocution

- 1855 R. M. MORSE H. N. FISHER
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ITEMS OF HISTORY

CLASS MEETINGS

SINCE the last report the Class has dined together on Commencement Eve as follows :

1893	At the Somerset Club	14 present.
1894	“ “ “ “	12 “
1895	“ “ “ “	16 “
1896	“ “ “ “	17 “
1897	“ “ “ “	24 “
1898	“ “ “ “	14 “
1899	“ “ “ “	11 “
1900	“ “ “ “	12 “
1901	“ “ “ “	11 “
1902	“ “ “ “	15 “
1903	“ “ “ “	10 “
1904	“ “ “ “	11 “
1905	“ “ “ “	11 “
1906	“ “ “ “	12 “
1907	“ “ “ “	14 “

In addition members of the Class have been present the same years at class-rooms in the College Yard. It was decided that our dinner of 1907 and the meeting at Phillips Brooks House should be the last of our stated gatherings.

CLASS FUND

AN account of the Class Fund is given in the report of 1882. It has been held by Bartlett under a Declaration of Trust since November 17, 1881. In addition to providing for the Class dinners and meeting the expenses for lunch on Commencement Days, it has paid for printing Class Reports of 1866, 1882, and 1893, and the comparative photographs of 1897, for the Class Window and Class Gate, the tablet in Memorial Hall to John Ropes, the Memorial Hall fund, the Alumni Association fund, and the contribution to equip Soldiers Field, and has furnished assistance to members of the Class and their families where such aid seemed called for.

CLASS GATE

IN June, 1900, the Class authorized the Class Committee to expend a suitable sum for the erection of a gate and certain portions of the fence round the College Yard as may be needed. The offer made by the Class was accepted by the corporation, and plans for the work were made by Messrs. McKim, Mead, and White of New York.

The space from Wadsworth House to Dane Hall was selected and is now occupied by the Class; 40 feet by the gate itself and 170 by the fence. The entire cost was \$6,172. In 1909 the work was finished by adding the number of the Class and these verses from Horace:

*Felices ter et amplius
Quos inrupta tenet copula nec malis
Divolsus querimoniis
Suprema citius solvet amor die.*

CLASS BOOK

MEMORANDUM is made that the Class Book, containing memoirs of many of the class, the Class Oration and Poem, and records to the present time, is in the College Library.

THE FIFTIETH ANNIVERSARY

THE Class celebrated the fiftieth anniversary of its graduation at Commencement, 1907. Circulars were sent to members of the Class well in advance, announcing the proposed plan. Invitations were mailed to members of classes older than our own, to members of 1858, 1859, and 1860, the sons of our classmates, the President and Fellows, President of the Alumni Association, and a very few more. One hundred and nine accepted and about the same number came to Phillips Brooks House. A substantial spread was furnished, an hour pleasantly passed and then the Class joined the procession going to Memorial Hall where seats had been reserved for the Class. It had been intended that Long should respond for the Class, and his speech was ready; but the length of the proceedings before our own turn made the hour so late that he confined himself to but few words. They are given, as delivered by him, under his personal record. The full text of his intended address is given in the *Harvard Graduates' Magazine*, for September, 1907.

Before the meeting in Cambridge eight members of the Class took automobiles at the Union Club in Boston and went, at his invitation, in which he included the whole class, to the home of Brooks at West Medford, where they were received and handsomely entertained by Brooks and his wife and children. After a pleasant hour the automobiles were resumed and left us in the College Yard.

INAUGURATION OF PRESIDENT LOWELL

ON the 19th of May, 1909, President Charles William Eliot (1853) closed the term of forty years in the Presidency of the University, and on the 6th of October following, Abbott Lawrence Lowell (1877) was inaugurated in his stead. Members of the Class joined thousands of others in front of University — alumni, dignitaries from other universities from this country and Europe and others — ladies and gentlemen — in witnessing and assisting at the imposing services. Long, as President of the Overseers, inducted the new officer to his place. The President gave his inaugural address and some thirty honorary degrees were conferred.

Lunch followed at the Harvard Union and the meeting of the Harvard Alumni Association took place in the afternoon at Memorial Hall.

